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In re Application ) PATENT APPLICATION Douglas L. Peckover Art Unit: 2761 Application No.: 09/235,898 Examiner: Not Yet Assigned Filed: 22 January 1999 Title: Intelligent Agents For Electronic Commerce

## **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97**

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